

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

CASEY TOWNSEND, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

v.

MINNESOTA LIFE INSURANCE  
COMPANY, et al.,

Defendants.

Case No. 1:21-cv-01159-NONE-EPG

ORDER RE: STIPULATION FOR  
DISMISSAL WITH PREJUDICE AND  
DIRECTING THE CLERK OF COURT TO  
CLOSE THE CASE

(ECF No. 15)

On October 7, 2021, the parties filed a joint stipulation dismissing this action with prejudice and with each party to bear its own attorney's fees and costs. (ECF No. 15). In light of the parties' stipulation, this action has been terminated, Fed. R. Civ. P. 41(a)(1)(A)(ii), and has been dismissed. *See Wilson v. City of San Jose*, 111 F.3d 688, 692 (9th Cir. 1997).

Accordingly, the Clerk of Court is respectfully directed to assign a district judge to this case for the purposes of closing the case, and then to close the case.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: **October 8, 2021**

/s/ Eric P. Gray  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE